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BRYAN'S MISSION FAILS

ARMY MAN ACCUSES AUSTRIA IS PREPARING TO FIGHT

Capt. H. C. Merriam Charges Spouse Had Major for Affinity

Former Social Favorite Made Target for Sensational Allegations

GENEVA, Switzerland, April 29.—Sensational gossip for the smart set at the Presidio and for the members of the social elect, not only in this city, but in New Orleans, Washington and a dozen army posts scattered about the country are furnished by a set of depositions which arrived today in the divorce suit brought by Captain Henry C. Merriam of the 164th company of coast artillery, against Besie C. Merriam.

Eavesdropping by telephone operators when Mrs. Merriam was talking to alleged affinities, while the captain was with his wife on the Mexican border, appointments for wine suppers and an alleged attempt to murder the 9-year-old daughter of the couple, Charlotte Merriam, and an admitted effort at suicide by the part of the wife, constitute some of the bits of evidence to be introduced.

SOCIETY NAME DRAWN IN.

A number of society people of New Orleans make depositions, as does also Louis Merriam Jr., a brother of the plaintiff, and Major Samuel A. Kephart, commanding officer at Jackson, Miss., where the separation of Major Clarence Murphy caused gossips to begin the talk resulting in the separation of the couple and the barring of the wife from the post.

From Elmer M. Darwin, a private soldier.

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Seeking Confidence Man, Taken to Jail

Policeman Arrests Searcher, Who Carries Large Revolvers.

Dominic Capota armed himself with several large revolvers to accompany Patrice Morrisse to search for George Murdoch, believed by Capota and Marisse to be a confidence operator who was attempting to victimize them. On the way they met Patrolman George Hall at Seventh and Market streets, and decided to take the policeman along as an extra precaution.

Hall learned about the weapons and placed Capota under arrest for carrying concealed weapons. He also placed Morrisse in custody for investigation and as a possible witness. Then he sought George Murdoch and locked him up as an extra precaution.

Murdoch was arraigned this morning on a charge of misdemeanor entailing for carrying \$500 from a butcher shop which did not exist. The complaining witness is Morrisse, who has been released from custody.

Seek Slayer of 14-Year-Old Girl

Former Bookkeeper Is Formally Charged With Murder at Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 29.—Search for the slayer of 14-year-old Mary Phagan, whose body was found in the National Tile Company's plant, was continued today by the police. Four men are detained, but only one of them, John M. Gant, former bookkeeper at the factory, has been formally charged with murder.

Detectives today again questioned New Lee, the negro watchman who found the girl's body. "I don't know," is the negro's only answer.

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Flower of the Army Marches Toward Frontiers of Montenegro and Novipazar

Ambassadorial Conference in London Fails; Takes Matter Into Own Hands

GENEVA, Switzerland, April 29.—All the Austrian troops in the Tyrol, numbering several thousand men, considered the flower of the army, have left for the frontiers of Montenegro and Novipazar. Other troops are arriving in the garrison to take their places.

MATTERS IN OWN HANDS.

LONDON, April 29.—A special correspondent telegraphing from Vienna puts the Austrian attitude in regard to Montenegro in precise form as follows:

"Austria-Hungary, finding that the ambassadorial conference in London yesterday had no results, has decided to take matters into her own hands and to carry out the decision of the powers regarding Scutari."

"A rumor spread on the Stock Exchange today that Austrian troops had entered Montenegro. No confirmation was obtainable.

PREPARE FOR ACTION.

VIENNA, April 29.—The Austro-Hungarian government is dissatisfied with the failure of the conference of ambassadors in London to initiate decisive action against Montenegro and is continuing its preparations for important action.

PRINCE WELCOMED.

CHETINJE, April 29.—Crown Prince Dinal of Montenegro was welcomed with an ovation on his arrival here today to hand over to King Nicholas the keys of the fortress of Scutari. The formal ceremony was greeted with cheers from the excited crowd.

The members of the royal family afterward marched in procession to the cathedral, the queen and each of the ladies giving her arm to a wounded soldier.

Amundsen Would Sail Through Canal in Fram

Explorer Writes to Secretary Garrison Asking for Privilege.

WASHINGTON, April 29.—Roald Amundsen, the Arctic explorer, has written to Secretary Garrison expressing his purpose to avail himself of the privilege of passing through the Panama canal this fall with the Fram, the vessel in which he will make his next Arctic trip. The Fram now is at Buenos Ayres.

"I have directed the Fram to meet me this fall at Panama," wrote Amundsen. "Naturally I thoroughly understand that the passage of the vessel is entirely dependent upon the condition of the slides, but I also realize that even if something should delay me, it would be of immensely more advantage for the Fram to pass through the canal than to go around South America. I shall consequently have my vessel await such time as may suit the convenience of the United States, as well as may prove possible for the passage of ships."

PLACES REVERSED.

It is a case of reversing places. Every morning the detective goes to the prison and looks over the suspects taken in during the night, as well as the men charged with crime in order that they may retain in mind's picture of them for subsequent use. It is learned also that Mrs. Hazel Galloway, whose testimony in the former detective Frank Ecola concerning the grafting with which he has been charged, was threatened with a personal attack last night. The woman was followed to her home and men loitered outside her house during the night, terrifying her and causing her to fear for her safety.

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Body Found in Lot, Head Lying in Pool of Blood.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—When Frederick Pinfold of 2081 Lombard street, looked out into the vacant lot adjoining his residence sleep was chased from his eyes by sight of the body of a man lying with his head covered with blood. He hurried out and found a corpse.

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SUSPECTS TO BE PICKED BY CROOKS

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SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—The police will be shown up this afternoon by the buncos men. For the first time in the history of thief-talking in the west, the police and the criminals will change places and instead of "showing up" a band of crooks and suspects as is the daily custom in the city prison, uniformed officers, detective sergeants and plain clothes men from the upper office, will be lined up on the floor of the assembly room and the five convicts from San Quentin and De Martini, De Bois, and Corrigan, from the county jail, will be asked to pick out the men or men to whom they say paid money for protection.

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ADmits LIVING IN MORMON POLYGAMY

Has Two Homes, With Families in Both, Says J. Thorpe.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, April 29.—"I have lived in polygamy many years and still do so," declared John T. Thorpe in the District Court here yesterday while he was being examined as to his fitness to act as a juror to hear the case of Caleb A. Inlow, accused of murdering Thomas E. White, a public chauvinist. In reply to a question as to where he resided, Thorpe gave two addresses and then he explained to the district attorney that he still was living in polygamy and that he had families living at both houses.

The county attorney said that he married his second wife before the manifesto prohibiting plural marriages was issued by Lorenzo Snow, late president of the Mormon church, and that he believed he was doing right in continuing to live in polygamy.

The county attorney said last night that the case had been called to his attention and that he would begin an investigation. This is the first admission by anyone of the practice of polygamy that has been made here for many years.

LOCAL SHOWERS LEAVE BUSINESS SECTION DRY

Rain fell in spots in Oakland this morning. In Claremont and portions of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda a brisk little shower fell for 10 minutes, but in the business district not a drop fell and there was scarcely a cloud in the sky.

GENERAL OJEDA AND MEN ARE FREED IN SAN DIEGO

U. S. Government Allows Imprisoned Mexicans to Go

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 29.—General Pedro Ojeda and his men were made as comfortable as possible at Fort Rosecrans, out a close watch was kept to prevent any member of the staff from disappearing. Two succeeded in getting away at the Santa Fe depot last night and are believed to be safe at Tijuana, Lower California, today.

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Royal Wiltons	36x33 in.	\$8.50	\$6.00
Royal Wiltons	4:6x7:6	\$18.25	\$12.75
Royal Wiltons	6x9	\$30.00	\$24.50
Royal Wiltons	9x12	\$50.00	\$33.50
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BROOD PROVES A SHORT AND UGLY HOWLING SUCCESS

Eight Children Clamor at Creditor's Door Until Father is Freed.

NEW YORK, April 29.—Louis Drucker, a woman's tailor, of Brooklyn, owes his release from jail to the appetites and lungs of his eight children.

Samuel Cohen, who won a judgment for \$15 against Drucker and had him sent to jail to languish for 15 days because he refused to pay, lost the joy of his triumph a few hours later when Mrs. Drucker, a wife of the imprisoned man, appeared at the Cohen home with her eight children, demanding that Cohen feed her family.

She left her clamorous brood to howl at Cohen's door. After hours of this, Cohen, half in pity and half in desperation, was forced to send for bread and milk to feed the children.

According to another discription by neighbors who maliciously contrated later on the sudden addition to his family, Cohen finally gave in and led the children home with the promise that the would get their father out of jail. He found that he could do so only by paying the costs, which amounted to \$5.33. He gladly settled the bill and sent Drucker back to his family.

ACCUSED OF SELLING WINE TO SCHOOL BOYS

HAYWARD, April 29.—Startling accusations against a young man, who is accused of being a "liar," have been made by the parents of school boys, three of whom were reported to have been under the influence of drink as around the Indians. The boys are expected today when a warrant will probably be issued for their arrest of the young man, whose name has not yet been divulged.

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WIFE SUES WOMAN FOR ALIENATION OF AFFECTIONS

Mrs. Elizabeth Neville Begins Action for \$50,000 Against Mrs. Margaret Davidson.

Defendant, who is wealthy, called Neville "Daddy," Complainant Charges.

Bonny Doon, on the San Lorenzo in the Santa Cruz mountains, was the scene of a hidden romance between Charles Neville and Mrs. Margaret V. Davidson, according to Mrs. Elizabeth M. Neville, who let in the light of publicity by filing suit yesterday against Mrs. Davidson for \$50,000, alleging alienation of her husband's affections.

Mrs. Neville relates in her complaint that her husband was finally induced by Mrs. Davidson to leave his ranch and take up his home in the residence of Mrs. Davidson, 2018 Ninth avenue, where he is said to have remained since December 1912. The Nevilles were married in Santa Cruz county in 1908 and lived happily until October, 1910, when Dr. J. E. Davidson and his wife took up a home a quarter of a mile away. Mrs. Neville alleged that soon after her husband and Mrs. Davidson became very friendly and that finally Dr. Davidson and his wife separated, he going to Stockton and she returning to her Oakland home. After that she frequently visited the Neville home and on such occasions considerable attention was paid her by Neville, she claims.

The plaintiff began to have suspicions, she says when she saw that Mrs. Davidson accompanied her husband about their farm when he was at work in the fields and about the premises. Her husband informed her that the defendant "was a little like her home secrets to him and that the plaintiff was not to be acquainted with them." Mrs. Neville declares that Mrs. Davidson called Neville "Daddy" and would ask him to comb her hair. She says that the defendant would arise early in the morning to feed the horses so that Neville could rest that much longer.

SMOKED SAME CIGARETTE.
She alleges that Mrs. Davidson was in the habit of kissing Neville goodnight and that the two would frequently take turns at smoking the same cigarette.

In December, 1912, the plaintiff alleged that Mrs. Davidson asked her what she would say if "Daddy" told her for in the same month the three came to San Francisco to spend the holidays with Neville's sister, and it was then that the final breakup occurred. Mrs. Neville says that her husband accompanied Mrs. Davidson to her Oakland home and that when she remonstrated with him he replied: "If I ruin her reputation I will make reparation." Then he left her, she says, and has continued to live apart from her.

Mrs. Davidson, the defendant, is said to be the descendant of California pioneer stock, while her mother was a California Indian. She is 33 years of age and possesses a fortune estimated at \$100,000, it is said. Her husband is a dentist.

The Oakland Commercial Club today inaugurated a final campaign directed to the Alameda delegation at Sacramento, urging importance to this city and calling on the state legislature to pass a State Bill 1717, which authorizes boards of supervisors to levy a tax not to exceed 2 cents on each \$100 of valuation for publicity purposes.

"The Alameda County Legislatively has no opposition," said Gilbert C. Farley, secretary of the club, this morning, "but we are not taking any chances of it expiring in the house for lack of attention in the closing days of the session." The Alameda county and all of California needs this law. Chambers of Commerce and other associations of boosters in California cities have endorsed it and asked their representatives at the capital to work for it.

"Because the Oakland Commercial Club, through its publicity committee, is responsible for the bill, the club proposes to call an early meeting of the members of the county or city in the entire State that will not benefit from its passing. It puts the burden of advertising the community where it belongs upon the clubs who have the best pull.

By adding this extremely small levy to the annual tax assessment Alameda county alone will have \$50,000 to be spent in advertising the county in the market place. The Board of Supervisors responsible for its disbursement, assurance is given to all concerned that it will be used right, just as funds for other public improvements are used right.

OTHER ENDORSEMENTS.
In addition to the endorsement of the bill by the Chamber of Commerce and the Commercial Club of Oakland, Secretary Farley has received advices of similar support from the following California organizations:

Marin County Promotion League, Healdsburg Business Men's Association and Chamber of Commerce, Pasadena Association, Santa Ana Chamber of Commerce, Redding Chamber of Commerce, Chico Business Men's Association, San Francisco Convention League, Sebastopol Chamber of Commerce and the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce.

The San Francisco Convention League has notified the Commercial Club that a personal letter has been sent to each of the legislative districts, asking support for the passage of the bill.

The proposed law reads: "Any county or group of counties of the several counties within the State of California, or any of them, are hereby authorized and empowered to levy a special tax on the taxable property within their jurisdiction, the amount to be determined by the Board of Supervisors responsible for its disbursement, assurance is given to all concerned that it will be used right, just as funds for other public improvements are used right."

Mr. C. Winton, one of our larger Hayward fruit growers, harvested from 60 acres of apricots 220 tons of fruit. These were sold at the local cannery at \$60 per ton, bringing an average of \$220 gross per acre. Allowing the expense of \$60 per acre for advertising, the net, the handsome profit of \$70 per acre remains, or 8 1/4 per cent on a valuation of \$2000 per acre.

E. K. Strobridge has had a return on practically \$200 per acre for three succeeding years from his 45-acre Bartlett pear orchard in Castro Valley.

Mrs. Hutchinson sold \$6000 worth of fruit—cherries, apricots, pears and plums—from 30 acres of land in Castro Valley.

Mr. Blackwood, whose farm is about one mile southwest of Hayward, marketed 135 tons of apricots this season from 22 acres of land. She had her crop for \$55.50 per ton, or \$7897.50, an average of \$350 per acre.

A four-acre pear orchard at San Lorenzo has produced \$2000 worth of Bartlett pears in one season, an average of \$500 per acre.

Many farmers have realized \$250 to \$400 the first year and \$400 to \$600 the second and third years. Last season the Bowman Brothers sold \$12,120 worth of Royal Ann cherries gathered from 13 acres in two orchard lots. The cherries were sold at the unusually low price of 4 cents per pound.

Examples could be multiplied of incomes equaling or exceeding those given above, but there will suffice to show what can be expected from our own orchards.

The figures here given can be verified by calling on, or addressing, the names of the farmers here given.

In buying a small farm, the necessity of being accessible to the big markets should not be overlooked.

If you are contemplating buying a farm do not fail to investigate the same around Hayward—the soil is good, the weather is more or less constant, and the price of land is reasonable.

See column 11 on our classified pages for a list of good buys.

LA PALOMA CLUB DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT'S AFFAIR

MISS M. HOLMES.

600 CLUBWOMEN IN SESSION AT FRESNO

California Federation Attracts Delegates From Many Sections.

Mrs. James W. Orr is Not Expected to Seek Re-election.

FRESNO, April 29.—Six hundred club women from all parts of the state are here today to attend the annual convention of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, which opened this morning and will continue five days. The San Joaquin Valley district federation is acting as hostess. The influx of delegates began at an early hour this morning, the visitors being greeted at trains and hotels by committees of local club women. Many of the guests are being entertained at private residences.

This morning a joint council of the presidents and delegates was held at which were considered the questions of re-districting and the reorganization of committees.

PAPERS ARE READ.

Papers read this afternoon include the following: "Possibilities of Art Study in Club Work," Mrs. James B. Hughes; "Why Ragtime Must Go," Mrs. John G. Fury; "Music and What the Clubs can do to Forward It," Charles Farwell Edson, Los Angeles; John E. D. Trask told of the plans and preparations for the fine arts department of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

This evening a big reception will be held at the Hotel Fresno. Mayor Snow will make the address of welcome on behalf of the city, Mrs. S. L. Wiley, San Joaquin district president, will also welcome the delegates and Mrs. James W. Orr, state president, will respond. A fine musical program has been prepared.

MAY NOT SEEK OFFICE.

Additional interest in the convention centers about the rumor that, contrary to precedent, Mrs. J. W. Orr, the state president, will not run for a second term, but that Mrs. Ella L. Westland of Updegraff, president of the southern district, will be the nominee. The reason given is that Mrs. Orr's strength may prove unequal to the task of the presidency for another year.

Mrs. Orr called the meeting to order and was rendered the official assistance of Mrs. A. A. Goddard, vice-president; Mrs. Calvin Hartwell, vice-president at large; Mrs. E. D. Knight, recording secretary; Mrs. Jessie Lee Briggs, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Henry E. de Naye, treasurer; Mrs. George E. Jones, auditor; Mrs. T. F. M. Moulton, and Mrs. Russell J. Waters, General Federation secretary. Among the district presidents who will attend will be Mrs. Percy L. Shuman of the San Francisco district; Mrs. S. L. Wiley, president of San Joaquin, the hostess district, and Mrs. John C. Lynch, president of the Alameda district.

The local committee has provided entertainments of tea, music and automobile rides that there may be due mental relaxation. Social dances will be introduced into the evening program. So far as known, the two vital issues of the convention will be the reorganizing of the districts of the state, and the readjustment of the divisions of department work.

A satisfactory husband is capable of appreciating her or has sense enough to be without it.

WANT DIVORCES.

That her husband struck her with a book and then said that he regretted that the missile was not a fatality is one of the allegations of Rose James, her husband, a waiter at the Golden Gate Inn, San Francisco.

James also charges that her husband called her a "savage" and told her that all of her relatives were "savages."

Katherine Rapp alleges that William M. Rapp left her for another woman and for that reason she wants a divorce.

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MIDLAND TRAIL TO EARLY MORNING CONNECT OCEANS
Takes Jewelry With Him When Interruption Causes Flight.

Advocating as the only logical route for the proposed ocean-to-ocean highway, the travelers from the east to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, the "Midland Trail," I. B. Beck Head, consul of the Woodmen of the World, and chairman of the Midland Trail Association, is in Oakland, urging commercial organizations of this city to make a strong bid for this road, which will have its western terminus in this city. Beck came to the California-Pacific Exposition to attend the opening of the new Woodmen of the World buildings, one in Fresno and one in Hayward, and while here took up the matter of the road, in which he is particularly interested. He is a leader in the Chamber of Commerce at Denver, Colo., and head of the good roads committee of that organization.

"The Midland trail is in the ideal route west," he declared at his room at the Hotel Oakland today, "and must therefore command itself to all autolists. It will reach from Indianapolis to Oakland via Denver.

Beck has already secured the co-operation of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce for the Midland Trail.

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., April 29.—President James L. Hamilton of the Colorado-Utah-Nevada-Vermont link of the Midland Trail Association today issued a call for a meeting of representatives of the states named to be held here May 2. The meeting, which will last three days, will be addressed by leading advocates of the Midland Trail as the route for the proposed highway from ocean to ocean.

PRIZE COMPETITION EGGS STRANGELY DISAPPEAR

Prize eggs, when not subjected to cold storage or other preserving processes, are hardly good to eat after the first two or three weeks of their existence, wherefore the Chamber of Commerce officials are puzzled at the disappearance of several choice specimens from the collection being acquired by Secretary A. A. Denison, which disappeared last night.

Some weeks ago Secretary Denison, in order to encourage the production of the eggs, started a competition, the prize to go to the largest egg laid in the county. He had several examples of large eggs submitted in the competition on exhibition in the chamber. Three of the largest disappeared. Whether

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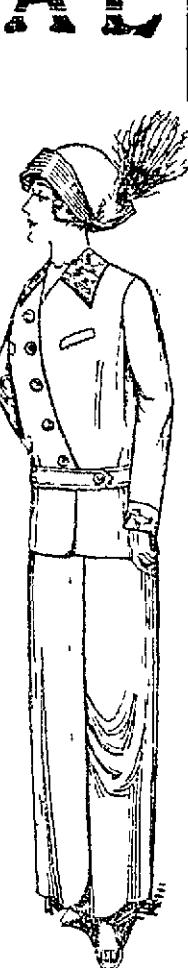
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MODERN MOTHER KEEPS CARELESS WATCH OVER TEMPTED DAUGHTER

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

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"Tis ever thus; when in life's storm
Hope's star to man grows dim
An angel kneels in woman's form
And breathes a prayer for him."



LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

possible where the daughters have to

Old heads cannot be put upon young men's pedigree if she happens to have a fancy to him. While it does not seem wise to hamper a girl's privileges too much, it does seem that her guardians should put a certain amount of restriction upon her and let her feel that she is accountable to some one for her actions. A mother's social duties are her pleasures. They are beguiling. She should not be devoted to them that she forgets her obligation to her family.

Every father expects that his wife will rear their daughter tenderly. He expects her to counsel her wisely, yet to keep her exuberant young spirits within bounds. There is no man who does not respect a girl who has to ask mother's permission if she can accompany him to an auto ride or matinee, as the case might be. Few men really appreciate the girl whose company can be had just for the asking.

There are some girls who would never dream of taking advantage of the freedom allowed them. And again there are other thoughtless maidens to whom this freedom should never be accorded. Of course every mother has seen that her daughters should put a certain amount of restriction upon her and let her feel that she is accountable to some one for her actions. A mother's social duties are her pleasures. They are beguiling. She should not be devoted to them that she forgets her obligation to her family.

The older she grows the deeper the root of habit takes hold in her nature to do as she pleases. It is not surprising that such a girl is introduced to a young man, falls head over heels in love with him, and is almost engaged to her before her folks know of his existence. Such affairs are only

so many privileges accorded the girl whose company can be had just for the asking.

Daughters require advice not only in the friendship of other girls in which they form, but with some one to whom they can confide their heart affairs to. Who in this wide world is so deeply interested in them as mother? Her after life can be made either happy or miserable by her girl's marriage. She is the girl who can make or break the girl's happiness. She only has half to blame the girl has married him through lack of judgment—and all because of the freedom allowed her of seeing him too often without having to account for it. Of all rules which a mother should be strict about the most important one is that her girl not remain out late evenings, visiting her girl friends, to be beamed home by this one and that one.

Daughters require advice not only in the friendship of other girls in which they form, but with some one to whom they can confide their heart affairs to. Who in this wide world is so deeply interested in them as mother? Her after life can be made either happy or miserable by her girl's marriage. She is the girl who can make or break the girl's happiness. She only has half to blame the girl has married him through lack of judgment—and all because of the freedom allowed her of seeing him too often without having to account for it. Of all rules which a mother should be strict about the most important one is that her girl not remain out late evenings, visiting her girl friends, to be beamed home by this one and that one.

"IN A PECULIAR POSITION."

"Dear Miss Libby: I am in a peculiar position and need your advice. I have been going with a young lady for some time whom I love very much. I have often told her how much I love her and she has shown me in different ways that she at least likes me. Now the trouble is that I am getting tired of going with her, not that I want to go with some other girl especially, but after thinking the matter over I think that I would rather remain single for a few years longer. I am afraid that if I go with her much longer she will expect me to 'propose.' I do not want to keep company with this girl any longer for that reason, although I think it would be a good idea to marry her. How can I discourage my company with her and still be a friend of hers. I am the only friend she goes with, so that makes it doubly hard."

"I do think, a fellow is dishonorable who will monopolize a girl's attention to the exclusion of every other man friend and then decide that he better stop going with her in case she may expect him to propose. And girls make a serious mistake in giving their entire attention to one man until he has proposed. You better discontinue calling on the girl entirely."

"IS HE MARRYING FOR MONEY?"

"Dear Miss Libby: I am 26. I was married when I was 17, my husband dying nine months after our marriage. He left me a large sum of money. I am now going with a young man 22. He has asked me to marry him, but I have not given my answer yet. The people say (his very best friend has said) he wants to marry me for my money. What I want to know is how can I find out if he is?"

"COMES EVERY NIGHT."

"Dear Miss Libby: We are three girls who always are together and a boy that is in our class at school likes us and he is always over to our house. He wants to marry us and I feel that we cannot tell him not to come any more, as it might hurt his feelings. Is it proper for a boy to visit the girls every night? We like to study and yet can't on account of this boy's visits."

"SIMPLY TELL THE BOY THAT YOU HAVE TO STUDY AND THAT HE MUST NOT COME OVER ON SCHOOL NIGHTS. THERE IS NO SENSE IN WASTING YOUR TIME ON SUCH THOUGHTLESS BOY. HE OUGHT TO KNOW BETTER HIMSELF."

"SHALL SHE MAKE UP?"

"Dear Miss Libby: Last spring I began keeping company with a young man one year older than myself. He seemed to be a nice gentleman and loved me, and I also deeply loved him. He asked me to be his wife and I believed he loved me. But in August we were at a picnic together and he wasn't with me at one time and got angry with me, but I can't see what I have done to make him angry. He never would tell me. He has come to see me since then. Since then he has been keeping company with another young man six years older than I am. He is a nice young man, but I can't love him as I did my first love."

"YOU BETTER MAKE UP WITH THE FOLLOW IF YOU BELIEVE HIM TO BE SORRY FOR THE WAY HE TREATED YOU BEFORE. THERE IS NO SENSE LETTING STUBBORN PRIDE SPILL A FRIENDSHIP FOR ONE YOU ARE REALLY TONED ON."

"SIX HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS SUSPENDED"

"SAN JOSE, April 29.—The indefinite suspension of Will Shad, Ed Lannin, Bryan Adams, Tevis Trimble, Roy Cole and Roy Field, San Jose high school juniors implicated in the purloining of forty green vests belonging to members of the senior class from a local tailoring establishment, last week has aroused the indignation of the entire student body and a mass meeting was held last night in the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of protesting.

"A strike of the entire junior class was threatened, and members of the faculty who attempted to attend the meeting were locked out. A petition addressed to the faculty was drawn up and presented today. Should the faculty decline to reinstate the boys Wednesday will be a general walkout of students. No pushing and shoving is indulged in today, and L. B. Avery, the principal laid down the law at a meeting of the senior class. More trouble is expected."

"TO TRY BRIBERY CHARGE."

"NEW YORK, April 28.—John N. Arthur, one-time counsel to Harry K. Thaw, will be tried May 12 on an income tax charge and will be tried in connection with an attempt to liberate Thaw from Mattewan asylum."

"SMUGGLED CHINESE FOUND IN BOX CAR"

"STOCKTON, April 29.—Nine Chinese, believed to have been smuggled across the border from Lower California, were discovered yesterday in a box car which arrived over the lines of the Santa Fe Railway from National City, just south of San Diego."

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A Difference in Construction.

Some of the Democratic papers are charging the Louisiana Senators with violating their pledges by opposing free sugar. It is a charge without a fact to sustain it. In insisting upon a duty on imported sugar, the Louisiana Senators are standing squarely on the national Democratic platform adopted at Baltimore.

The Baltimore platform declares for a "tariff for revenue only." An import duty on sugar is a tariff for revenue. The assertion that it does not accord with the Democratic platform is based upon the fact that it incidentally protects a domestic industry. The word "only" is construed to condemn all duties which afford incidental protection to domestic manufacturers and producers.

But the new tariff bill is not framed on that construction. A majority of the duties afford incidental protection. If cotton goods, boots and shoes, carpets, hats, etc., are to be incidentally protected, why not sugar and wool? Free trade and a tariff for revenue are not convertible terms. In fact, they are contradictions. Why is a tariff for revenue construed to mean free sugar and free wool on the one hand and taxed clothing, shoes, carpets, etc., on the other?

President Wilson has specifically stated that he is not in favor of free trade and that he is not opposed to incidentally protecting American industries. Why are sugar and wool singled out for exceptions? The platform does not single them out. The platform says not a word about free sugar or free wool, or free anything else. It declares for tariff—an import tax on foreign goods—for revenue. Yet men are denounced as unfaithful to the platform for maintaining that sugar be taxed—for revenue—just the same as other foreign products.

But the Bourbons have never yet been consistent. Because President Wilson says sugar must go on the free list, they argue that the party creed declares for free sugar. Mr. Wilson's personal views therefore are the higher law of the party, the law being with the dispenser of patronage. What else can account for the acceptance of a construction which does violence to express terms? The man who says that a tariff for revenue only does not mean free sugar is stigmatized as a traitor to his party's creed.

Frost and ripe cherries seldom fall together, but they do sometimes in this locality, such are the sharp contradictions of the California climate. Sunday night a white frost fell in the valley south and east of Oakland, yet in the morning cherries and apricots were being picked in the orchard. Strawberries, peas, rhubarb, etc., were also being gathered for market as if nothing had happened. No real damage was done. But picking ripe cherries and apricots with frost on the ground is something to be seen nowhere else in the world.

Intelligent Stock-Raising Pays.

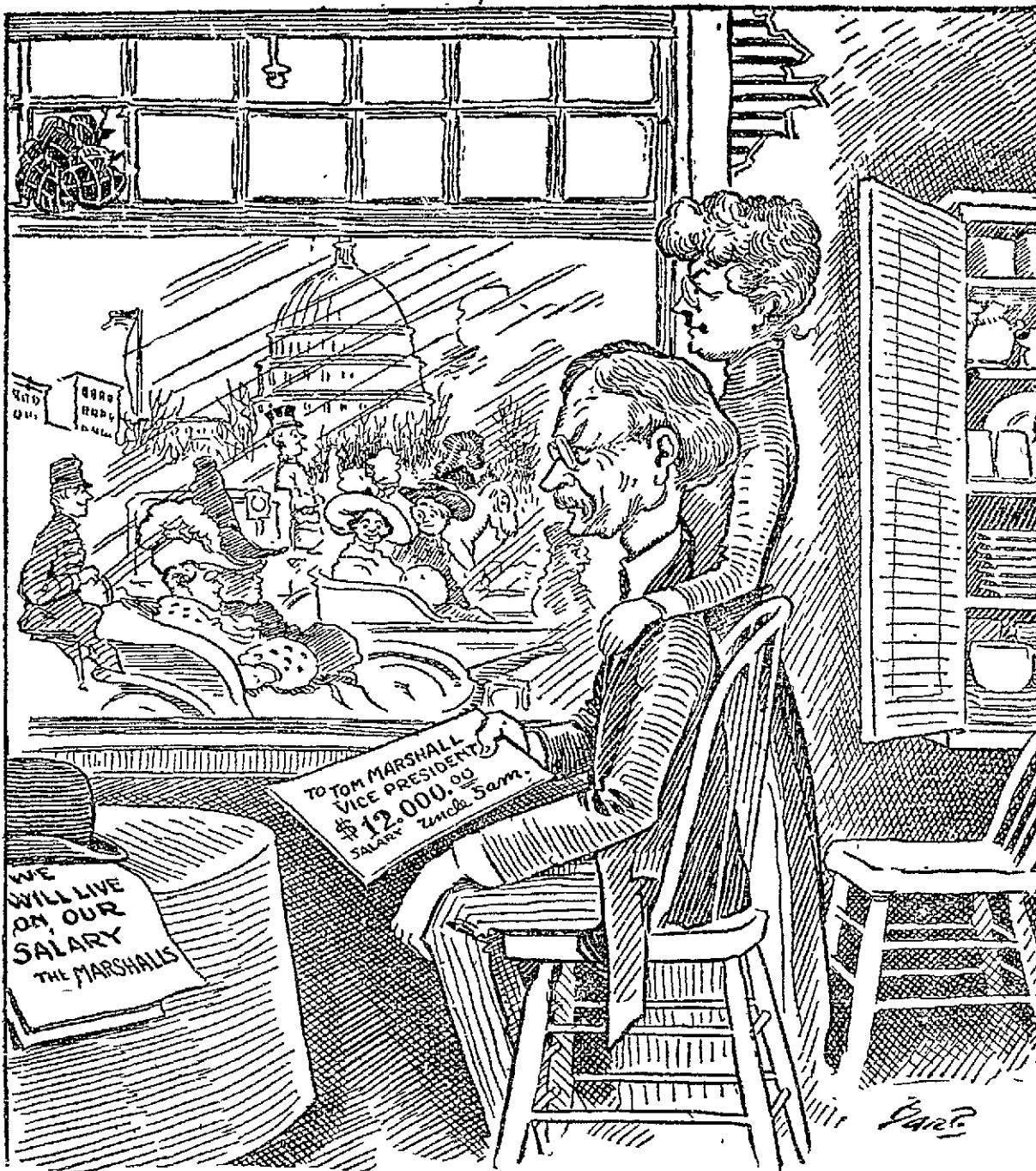
The Utica, N. Y., Tribune publishes an account in a recent issue of an experiment in stock-farming which illustrates the value of adopting intelligent scientific methods in the business of cattle-raising. An Oneida county farmer had a herd of common American milch cows which was the mainstay of the farm and the family. But the revenue derived from the herd made the grass short for the family. The old farmer's son—a young man not much over 20, but with clear perceptive facilities and original ideas—induced his father to dispose of the common milch herd and try what could be done on the farm with stock of fine breeding. Thirty head of the common stock were sold at public auction and two one-year-old pedigree Holstein heifers costing \$125 each were bought as a start six years ago, and the young fellow took full charge of their care. The following year seven thoroughbred calves were added to the new herd, making the total investment in the high-grade stock and keep \$1400. Two years later the first two heifers bought were tested by experts from Cornell University. One broke the world's record for the butter product of one day's milking. The other cow was first subjected to a seven-day test and beat the world's record with one pound of butter in excess of the previous holder of the record. This animal was then submitted to a thirty-day test, yielding 171 pounds of butter, or seven pounds weight in excess of the world's record holder up to that date. This cow was soon after sold for \$10,000, and later the bull in the herd raised on the farm was disposed of for \$6000. And the herd now left on the farm, says the Tribune, numbers seventy head, each one of which can be readily sold for a sum of four figures.

The Utica Tribune's story reminds us of the wonderful success of the late Charles and W. Frank Pierce of this city obtained as the result of intelligent stock farming on the Sacramento and San Joaquin delta farm they possessed. They started to develop a herd of Holstein milch cows with a few choice imported pedigree animals and finally developed the finest herd of the breed on the American continent. One of the cows established a new world's record for milk and butter production. At the special request of the management of the St. Louis World's Fair, she was sent there for exhibition, the management assuming all the risk and cost of the venture and paying the premium on a \$25,000 insurance policy. A special gold medal was awarded to the owners. After the demise of the Pierce brothers the delta farm and herd cut a big figure in their large estates. Frank Pierce had unbounded faith in the delta lands and the bottom lands along the banks of the lower reaches of the San Joaquin and Sacramento rivers, which he predicted would be developed some day into one of the largest and most productive milk-herd districts in the world, if stocked by the right breed of cattle and intelligently farmed. Intelligent cattle raising for both milch and beef purposes has certainly been the foundation of many of the largest fortunes made in this State.

The little Contra Costa town of San Pablo is shedding its village state and habiliments and demonstrating that it is wide awake, has an ambition to gratify and a local pride and enterprise to back it, by starting on a new and up-to-date career as a modern community in the line of the progressive procession of east bay shore cities, for its business district will soon be lighted by electric lamps maintained by the public treasury. Heretofore, the town has depended chiefly on stores and other business houses to illuminate its public thoroughfares. All hail to our enterprising little neighbor which has wisely begun to respond to the quickening impulse of latter-day development along the eastern shore of the bay in both Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

NOT FORGETTING THE VICE-PRESIDENT

POOR FOLKS.



MINNEAPOLIS JOURNAL

Richmond Should Have Its Waterfront.

Richmond is naturally seeking the control over its waterfront by the transfer of the unimproved state tide-lands to it so that the municipality may provide those improvements demanded by commerce which the state has neglected to provide itself. A bill has been introduced for that purpose by Senator Owens, the wide-awake Mayor of Richmond. The latter is one of the most progressive cities not only on the shores of San Francisco bay, but on the Pacific coast. During the brief period of its existence it has made marvelous progress, and is rapidly developing into one of the most important industrial centers in the Far West. Its waterfront has great commercial possibilities. It has, moreover, the courage and the enterprise in its own citizenship to develop it, so that it may be of the greatest future service to commerce.

In seeking a grant from the State of the tide-lands within its boundaries it is asking no more than the State has conveyed to its neighbors on the eastern shore of San Francisco bay and its application for the transfer is based on precisely the same grounds, namely, that the State has not spent a dollar for the improvement of the waterfront and, therefore, makes no sacrifice of any past investment and that the city is ready and willing to assume the obligation of improving the property for commercial uses whereby the State at large will share, with itself, in the benefits to be derived from such improvements. So far as the State is concerned, the property has been dormant since California came under the sovereignty of the United States, and the State is not in a condition to assume the responsibility of its early improvement or with any reasonable expectancy of its being able to produce results which will insure as greatly to its own benefit and the benefit of Richmond as those which the city can and will develop. The grant of the waterfront to Richmond will not be a loss but a positive gain to the State.

San Mateo county was forced last year to start a campaign of extermination against the salt marsh mosquitoes, as the little pests invaded the towns and settlements in such numbers that life there was made intolerable and hundreds of people moved out of the county in consequence. Crude petroleum has been sprinkled generously over a large area of the breeding places of the mosquitoes in the salt marshes bordering on the bay and the war of extermination is reported officially to be satisfactorily closed.

BREAD THAT NEVER STALES

What man in the street knows or cares anything about valency? Or perceives in the venture the management assuming all the risk and cost of the venture and paying the premium on a \$25,000 insurance policy. A special gold medal was awarded to the owners. After the demise of the Pierce brothers the delta farm and herd cut a big figure in their large estates. Frank Pierce had unbounded faith in the delta lands and the bottom lands along the banks of the lower reaches of the San Joaquin and Sacramento rivers, which he predicted would be developed some day into one of the largest and most productive milk-herd districts in the world, if stocked by the right breed of cattle and intelligently farmed. Intelligent cattle raising for both milch and beef purposes has certainly been the foundation of many of the largest fortunes made in this State.

A man's organs and those of his bones which are now subject to pressure grow between them, the pelvis, and the thick bones, and this pressure overcomes the natural elasticity of the skin and the growth of these bones. However, a British scientist contends that were a man a quadruped, and therefore freed from the downward pressure produced by his weight upon his spinal column, he would continue to grow in height for ten years longer than he does at present, since it has been found that the weight of the body while in the erect position causes the spine to be compressed into the fourth rib—Chicago Tribune.

GROWTH OF MAN

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OVER-TRAINING

The trainer is fatal to the school athlete. That in substance is the statement of the Journal of the American Medical Association. The fatal effect of the trainer is not immediate, but comes along later in life, and the trained athletes till the death columns of the newspapers instead of the places of responsibility they should have in this country.

Few of the great college athletes have lived to middle age. Sprinters along the track and others who concentrate their efforts in short spurts of almost superhuman performance die before reaching the 40th year.

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CONTROVERSY ON OVER LONG ROAD

Historical and Scenic Routes
Proposed for Western End
of Highway.

KANSAS CITY, April 29.—Whether the western end of the proposed ocean-to-ocean highway shall pass through a section noted for scenic beauty, or along route replete with historical interest, probably will be decided at the annual meeting of the National Old Trails Association, which began here today.

The original old trails route across the continent ends at Santa Fe, N. M. Lovers of the historical contend that the route from that point should follow the old Doniphan trail and the Kearney road, which gained their names from General Alexander W. Doniphan and General Steven Kearney.

Delegates favoring the scenic route want the road built directly west from Santa Fe through the mountains by way of the Grand Canyon, reaching California at Barstow, thence to Los Angeles and up the coast to San Francisco.

New Mexico and Arizona tons on the proposed scenic route send delegates to argue against the southern route.

MIGHT LIVE AVOIDED WAR.

That the civil war might have been avoided had the states been linked by a system of national highways, was a suggestion made in an address by Charles Henry Davis of Cambridge, Mass., president of the National Highways Association.

Davis outlined the history of the old frontier trade routes—the Santa Fe trail, the Boone Lick road, the Oregon trail, the overland trail, Mormon trail and others, and told of the Old Trails Association's plan to link these routes together and see them connect Washington, D. C., and New York in a great modern highway.

"A century of our national life has slipped away since hardy pioneers first conceived a transcontinental highway," he said. "Their conception was to bind the states together in a common brotherhood and thus perpetuate and preserve the union." Had these prophetic words of Calhoun been heeded and in the full knowledge thereof had we, as a nation, built roads, might not the great struggle between the north and the south been avoided?"

MANY WILL VISIT WATER CARNIVAL

Oroville Will Combine Session of Grand Parlor; Numerous Guests.

OROVILLE, April 29.—The combined session of the water carnival and the session of the Grand Parlor of the State Sons to be held here the week beginning May 12, will be attended by many noted guests from Oakland, San Francisco and other cities. Some of those who will be in attendance are:

F. M. Angstman, Marin county, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court; M. T. Dooling, Superior Judge of San Benito county; H. C. Gestford, Superior Judge of Napa county; Frank H. Dunn, Superior Judge of San Francisco; F. B. Tolson, former district attorney of San Francisco; Joseph R. Knowland, Congressman from Oakland; Thomas Flint, former State Senator from San Jose; R. M. McLaughlin, former Commissioner of Education of Oakland; Frank C. Conley, Superior Judge of Madera county; Frank L. Combs, former Minister to Japan; C. E. McLaughlin, president of the California State Automobile Association; John H. Gandy, former Tax Collector of San Francisco, and the oldest living past grand president of the order; Fred H. Jung and John B. McDougal.

On Tuesday of the week of the celebration the water carnival will be held between the Oroville Olives and the team of the Oakland N. S. G. W. On Wednesday the feature will be a water fight between Chico and Oroville.

HIGH COURT ADMITS WILL TO PROBATE

SEATTLE, April 29.—The State Supreme Court yesterday affirmed the decision of Superior Judge King Dykeman admitting to probate the first of four wills of Mrs. Mary Jeffs, an Indian woman, by which her half of the \$600,000 estate left by her husband, a white man, is to be used to found an orphan asylum. When Jeffs died he left half of his estate to the proposed asylum and half to his widow. Mrs. Jeffs' first will left her share of the estate to the asylum, but her children by a former marriage found three other wills and sought to obtain possession of their mother's property. Judge Dykeman decided that she had been inveigled into signing the three latter wills and admitted to probate the will signed soon after her husband's death, carrying out their original intention toward the orphans.

PAROLED MEN RETURN TO SERVE TERM IN PRISON

SAN QUENTIN, April 29.—Two paroled convicts, R. C. Clark and William Clark, brothers, who formerly lived in Humboldt county, yesterday surrendered themselves to Warden Hoyle of the penitentiary. They declared that they had violated their parole and were willing to resume their prison terms.

R. C. Clark, who is 26 years old, was sentenced to a charge of embezzlement. William Clark, 26 years old, went to prison convicted of grand larceny. At the time of their parolment the elder had sixteen months to serve and the younger eleven months. They were released last December.

They walked in unannounced and told the warden a story of having been arrested in Eureka county for violating the fish and game laws, catching fish out of season. They had served thirty days in the county jail for the offense. As soon as they had finished their time they made haste to return to San Quentin and seek the leniency of the warden. They were locked up.

OWENS COUNTRY HOME IS BURNED

NAPA, April 29.—The country residence of Leonard Owens, proprietor of Astia Springs, in Pope Valley in northern Napa county, was destroyed by fire yesterday with all its magnificent furnishings, at a loss of over \$10,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Owens were away from the house at the model hall of the residence. It is thought a defective kitchen fire started the fire.

Market Day Specials

Powerful Bargains to Make the Month's Last Day a Record Maker!

Think of Getting New \$1.50 Summer House Dresses at

69c

Splendid 95c Summer Wash Petticoats

59c

Summer Hat Shapes

59c

\$6 Shaded French Plumes, \$2.95

Second Floor

Beautiful 17-inch length French plumes in the newest colorings, French blue, leather, gold, cerise, green, brown or orange.

Flowers worth to 95c at 25c

Superbly made Lilacs, Wistarians, Poppies, Moss Buds, Hyacinths, Bluetts—in exquisite pastel shades, purple, pink, lavender, old rose, yellow, and vivid Bulgarian tones. Also large silk poppies.

Second Floor

50c White Rompers

Low neck, short sleeves, or high neck, long sleeves; others of pink seersucker. Open down front; 2 to 6 years.

Basement

27c Bleached Sheetings at 20c Yard

2 1/4 yards wide, a heavy quality without dressing. Only 15 yards to one customer.

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Newest shades and weaves, an exceptionally low price for high quality suiting.

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64 inches wide, heavy quality, in many patterns.

50c Pillows, Wednesday Only \$1.05

Filled with pure sanitary feathers; covered with heavy art ticking.

10c Handkerchiefs, Special Each

Women's white handkerchiefs with colored polka dots, cross-bars, rings and other effects in pink, tan, green, blue or lavender.

5c

48c Yd.

25c White Chamoisette Gloves

Women's Gloves, 2-clasp, in sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2.

Wednesday only at 19c a pair.

19c Pr

13 Cakes for 50c

Only 13 Cakes Sold to One Customer

19c Checked Ribbons

12 1/2c Yd.

Superb firm quality, all-silk, 4 inches wide, in black and white, blue and white, pink and white, etc.

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Specials for Men and Boys

\$1.50 SATIN NIGHT SHIRTS at 75c. In blue, pink or tan.

—MEN'S 50c FOUR-IN-HAND TIES at 25c. Diagonal stripes in the newest style darling ends.

—BOYS' 50c VACATION SHIRTS at 35c. Made strong; in light or dark blue, tan and striped effects.

45c Hand Satchels, 29c

Satchels with 14-inch frame, in imitation leather grain finish. Special Wednesday at 29c.

Children's 10c White Canvas Hand Bags at 2c

At this price you can afford to buy your child half a dozen and throw them away when soiled.

50c Wool Serges at 39c Yard

36 inches wide, in cream, tan, red and marine or navy blue.

5c

Staple Apron Gingham

Brand New; 8 1/2c Quality

Brand new Ginghams, first shown tomorrow; heavy quality.

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PRAISES COAST
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Replies With Thanks to
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BERKELEY, April 29.—"The people of California, more than those of any outside State, have been prodigal in their generosity and sympathy toward the distressed people of the flooded districts; and this splendid whole-heartedness will always be one of the bright spots in this time of distress and misery," says Governor Samuel M. Ralston of Indiana in a letter to W. A. Shockley, treasurer of the Berkeley Relief Committee.

Governor Ralston adds: "Our people, along with myself, have been deeply touched by the general and manifold good will and brotherhood from their countrymen, but this has been especially the case with the Berkeleyans. They are now busy with the work of partial rehabilitation in the flood districts, and all the money available will be judiciously expended."

T. G. Davis, secretary of the Ralston, Neb., relief committee, in acknowledging receipt of \$250 sent for the assistance of the sufferers in that town, which was destroyed by a cyclone, says: "Please accept our thanks for this valuable contribution, and convey our acknowledgments to your associates in this good work."

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Saturday, April 26, 1913

MASONIC RITES
AT FUNERAL OF
LATE W. E. KNOWLES

THE LATE W. E. KNOWLES.
—Bushnell photo.

BERKELEY, April 29.—Funeral services were conducted this afternoon by Duran Lodge of Masons for William E. Knowles of 531 Duran avenue, oil and ready operator and prominent clubman of this city and San Francisco. The funeral orations were spoken by Judge William H. Waste and Judge Frank B. Ogden. The funeral was held at an incense-laden Stradella's Mortuary, Belmont followed by incineration. The pallbearers included the following: William T. Simon, Walter Beattie, Judge A. E. Bolton, H. V. Maxwell, J. L. Stroud and A. S. Stahl.

Services were held for the deceased in many business ventures in the oil fields. Knowles was one of the Klondike pioneers amassing a considerable fortune there. He came to California in 1885 from Iowa. His native State. He was 61 years of age.

FREES INVENTOR
TO FINISH PATENT

Held for Failure to Provide;
Charge Proves Unjust
and Designing.

In order that he might have an opportunity to work upon some valuable inventions, A. U. Field was released upon two years' probation in the superior court by Judge Donahue this morning. Field was arrested several months ago on a charge of failure to provide for his wife and child. The report of the probation officer showed that he had given his wife \$75 per month out of his \$125 salary and that she had treated him unjustly in causing his arrest. She said the action was taken for the purpose of securing a divorce.

Divorce action has been filed against Field by Mrs. Carrie Field, who asks that she be given a share in the returns from his invention. Field related that one of his inventions was stolen and that other parties are now reaping the benefit of his labors. His new invention, which he claims will eliminate gasses from smelting plants, is one from which he anticipates remunerative returns on which his wife has asked a share.

BODY OF DROWNED
MAN IS RECOVERED

ALAMEDA, April 29.—The body of Thomas Lowe was recovered from Oak Harbor last night, and brought to the Alameda mortuary. Later it was removed to the Lowe home at 1725 Eich's street, East Oakland.

Lowe was drowned Saturday when a small boat capsized and threw three members of a dredging crew into the water. The other two were Harry Hanson and William Olson, Harrison and Olson swam ashore, but Lowe could not swim and drowned.

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GOSSIP OF STUDENTS AND
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UNIVERSITY TOWNURGES ORDINANCE
FOR BOATHOUSE

Commissioner Baccus Presents
Resolution for \$30,000
Appropriation.

Commissioner William J. Baccus presented a resolution this morning in council at the instance of the board of park directors, directing the city attorney to draw an ordinance appropriating \$30,000 from the budget of the fiscal year 1913-14 for the construction of a boathouse on the shores of Lake Merritt. Park Directors James P. Edoff and W. S. Gould appeared before the council to urge the appropriation.

Commissioner F. C. Turner voted against the resolution, declaring that the city had already had a sufficient amount of money appropriated for the construction of a boathouse.

"You would praise a man who put a fine picture on his wall when he was in want of the necessities of life. We need some new fire engines, houses, and an extension of the fire alarm system."

"You can only see the necessity of things when they are in your own department," retorted Baccus. "This old used boat house is in disarray. It is unnecessary and a shack to be burned down."

Edoff explained that by giving concessions in the new boathouse a return would be made on the investment.

WANTS SHORTER
NAME FOR BRIDE

NEW YORK, April 29.—An unusual request by a woman to resume her maiden name after the death of her husband was granted in the Supreme Court by Justice Guy in the case of Charlotte B. Guggenheim. The funeral was held at an incense-laden Stradella's Mortuary, Belmont followed by incineration. The pallbearers included the following: William T. Simon, Walter Beattie, Judge A. E. Bolton, H. V. Maxwell, J. L. Stroud and A. S. Stahl.

She said she wanted to resume the name of her deceased husband, Moses E. Guggenheim, in 1907.

She said Guggenheim made her life unhappy and deserted her in 1908. He died, she said, in the Central Islip Hospital for the Insane last September.

"If he had lived," she said, "I should have had grounds for divorce and to change my name. I am engaged to be married again, and my future husband desires that I drop the name of Guggenheim before we are married. The name not only is long and cumbersome, but it will interfere with my comfort and future happiness."

COMMITTEE MEETING
PLACE DISCUSSED

ALAMEDA, April 29.—There is great activity in the Eagles Drum corps of this city, and for the next fortnight the members will be busy with their plans.

Next Sunday the corps plays baseball with the members of Oakland drum corps at the Grove street grounds in Colma. The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock and promises to be a close contest.

On the evening of May 6 the corps will play a grand ball in Encinal Hall, Bay View, on May 11. The drummers leave for the state convention in Venice, where they will participate in the competitive test for supremacy.

ANNIVERSARY OF
WEDDING OBSERVED

ALAMEDA, April 29.—The anniversary of the resolution today stated that it may be necessary to hold the meetings down stairs. There is very little room except the dining room for members of the council and city officers in the committee chamber, and heretofore a sergeant-at-arms restricted the admission to those asked by the council to confer on certain legislation.

Intersuch as all the discussion of measures to be legislated upon takes place at the committee meetings, they are of a great deal more interest than the regular meetings which are held on a regular basis and action is taken and the interesting discussions are eliminated.

Among those present were Eliel Evans, Bille Arns, Olive Welch, Carmine Steinbeck, Martha Ludeme, Jean Griffin, Frank Blote, James Evans, Ed Stocking, William Laurence, Wm. White, Jack W. Griffin, David Lenz, Paul Forney.

FUNERAL SERVICES
FOR CAPTAIN CURTIS

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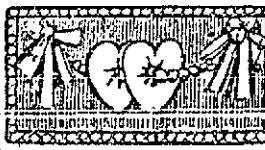
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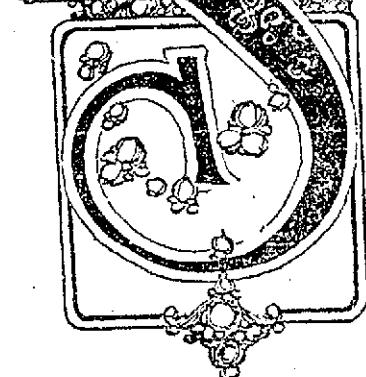
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HEART TRIBUNE'S PAGE for WOMEN HOME



Society



ARGE and small affairs mingle in the whirl of the busy spring season, many hostesses choosing to clean up their attire of sediments which have accumulated during the winter before going into the summer, and others choosing the afternoon receptions for a long guest list as a means of a farewell greeting to all their friends before the fitting. One of the smart affairs of this sort will be the reception for which Mrs. James K. Moffitt has sent out cards on May 8. The function will take place at her beautiful home in Piedmont, and will be complimentary to Miss Edith Moffitt. Guests invited to the gay affair will be included in the lengthy invitation list and a number of close friends will assist Mrs. Moffitt in her hospitable duties.

ENTERTAINS BEFORE MARRIAGE. The beautiful home of Dr. W. A. MacCormack, 1125 Alameda, will be the scene of a delightful gathering recently when elder daughter of the house, Miss Edith MacCormack, entertained a group of her close friends prior to her approaching marriage to Gerret A. Bigelow. Those who enjoyed her hospitality were Miss Myrtle M. Howell, Miss Rita Lubelski, Miss Elsa Preifer, Miss Emily MacCormack, Mrs. Harvey Craig, Mrs. Florence Dods and Mrs. Henry Guerner.

VISITING IN EAST. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Groben of Oakland are at the Hotel Astor in New York for a week during their tour of the East. They will later go to Boston to visit friends for a few days, and from there will go to Rochester, N. Y., where they will pay a visit to the two brothers of Mr. Groben, who live in that city. Groben was formerly a New Yorker.

AFFAIRS PAST AND FUTURE. Miss Martha Ford Earl, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Earl, was the guest of honor at an informal card party and tea given by Miss Edith Clapp at her home yesterday afternoon. About a score of the close friends of the hostess and her crew of honor enjoyed the pleasant affair. Miss Earl, whose marriage to Donald Houston Grubham will be a large church affair on May 17, will be a complimented guest at any number of delightful affairs during the next few weeks. Mrs. James Byers Black will give a bridge party at her Piedmont home for Miss Earl next Wednesday afternoon. Miss Earl is staying at the Katharine Michalek's Morel home during a few days, and Miss Earl was one of her attendants. Miss Irene O'Conor, who has just returned from a long sojourn in New York, will give a luncheon for the popular bride-elect at her home on Harrison boulevard on the afternoon of May 16. Many other functions are being planned.

TO SAIL TOMORROW. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lacey-Bryant and their children will sail for Tahiti tomorrow to spend the summer months in the doleful, fair-weather isle of the tropics. The trip was primarily inspired by business, but it is also made a pleasure cruise as well as the family will remain there long enough to get more than a glimpse of the life of the island port. They will establish a country home thirty miles out of Papeete and will enjoy to the full the novelty of life so far removed from commonplace conditions.

NEW CLUB FORMED. The Army and Navy Club, an organization recently formed by a number of well-known matrons, will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. H. G. Ponting on College avenue next Friday. Meetings are to be held on the first Friday of

each month at the homes of the different members, and delightful afternoons are anticipated. The officers of the club include Mrs. Miller, wife of Admiral Miller, president; Mrs. John Nance, wife of Major Nance, vice-president; Mrs. Henry Glass, second vice-president, and Mrs. Perkins, secretary. Among the members are Mrs. W. L. Geary, Mrs. O. C. Cord, Mrs. Gordon Hall, Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. Count, Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Noyes and Mrs. Morrison.

STOPPING IN SOUTH. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warren Harrold are spending a few days at Coronado before starting on a motor tour through the southern part of the state. After an absence of about a month longer they will return to this city to make their home in a handsome residence in Vernon Heights, which has been prepared for them. Mr. Harrold is the son of Mr. Harrold, late of West. Miss Madeline Clay, one of the most popular and charming girls society on this side of the bay has claimed among its brides for many seasons. Her sister, Mrs. Hardin Lake Crawford, who came here from her home in New York for the wedding, will remain at Level Lea, the family home in Foothills, for several weeks longer. A number of social affairs will be given in compliment to her during her stay.

BETROTHAL TOLD. Mr. and Mrs. William Britton of Claremont have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Britton, to Hilbert Ross of Piedmont. The wedding will be set for a day in June, and will be quietly arranged, owing to recent developments in the Britton family. Miss Britton is a charming girl of the bucolic type who has scores of friends among the younger set of Claremont and the college town, and the news of her approaching marriage will be of interest to many. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross and is engaged in business with his father.

VISITORS IN ALAMEDA. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pinkston of Butte, Mont., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hebrant at the Hebrant home on Laurel street. Pinkston and Mrs. Hebrant are brother and sister. A series of auto trips will be included in the attractions arranged for the visitors by Mr. and Mrs. Hebrant.

AFFAIR YESTERDAY. Mrs. Frank Grace entertained over a score of society maidens yesterday in honor of Miss Loretta Fennerian, one of the attractive engaged girls of the season. Cards were the diversion of the day, followed by an informal tea. Miss Grace is the sister of Miss Fennerian's fiance, Robert Vincent Miller. Numerous other affairs will be given for Miss Fennerian before the wedding date later in the spring.

RECITAL AT HOTEL OAKLAND. Mrs. Olive Reed Cushman will present a number of her advanced pupils at a recital at the Hotel Oakland Tuesday evening, May 6, to a large audience of society and musical folk will be present, and an interesting and meritorious program will be prepared for the occasion.

TO WED TOMORROW. The wedding of Mrs. Rebecca James of this city and Roland G. Davenport, a Seattle newspaper man, will take place tomorrow evening at the W. H. Davenport home in Berkeley. Following the

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WOMEN IN THE NEWS

ROMANCE BEGINS DURING WAR OF MEXICO

Wealthy Man Flees From the Brigands to Wed Fair Señorita.

AN FRANCISCO, April 29.—

A romantic love tale that had its setting during the revolution in Mexico was brought to port yesterday by the Pacific Mail liner City of Para, which also brought Mr. and Mrs. Octavio Escobosa, who are the figures in the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Escobosa were married three weeks ago, bringing to a climax a courtship which had been interrupted by the shot and shell and flaming torch of the recent uprising.

Miss Escobosa, who is a charming dark-eyed señorita with straight white teeth and a fascinating laugh, was educated at the Sacred Heart Convent at Menlo Park, where she spent several years. Then her name was Señorita Rafaela Haas, her grandfather having been of German nationality. Upon returning to Mazatlan, where her people are highly connected, three years ago, the señorita, while attending a grand festival in the Mexican city first met Escobosa, who conducted large operations in the vicinity of San Dimas.

It was not long before they became affianced in the Spanish custom. Owing to the revolutionary troubles, which centered in and around San Dimas, which finally became a hotbed of revolt and brigandage, Escobosa could not visit her as often as he desired.

However, he kept up a close correspondence by messengers, until finally Escobosa decided that the revolution and everything else could go to the dogs. He had something more important at hand.

The wedding was an important event in Mazatlan society, and the couple sailed with the best wishes of hundreds of friends. They will visit Chicago, where the groom's mother is now residing, and will return to Mexico in a few months.

Actress Is Sued

NEW YORK, April 29.—The audience which filled the Majestic theater in Jersey City waited impatiently last night for the curtain to rise on the first act of "Zara," not knowing that behind the scenes Mrs. Leslie Carter was playing quite another role.

Sheriff Weddin had served the actress in her dressing-room with an attachment issued on the application of Pauline Frances, a costumer of New York, who says that Mrs. Carter owes \$2100 for gowns.

On Mrs. Carter's promise to secure bondsman today the sheriff permitted her to appear. The curtain did not rise until after 9 o'clock.

The actress' salary for two weeks, said to be \$2000, and three of her trunks were attached.

Miss Madero to Wed

NEW YORK, April 29.—Senorita Mercedes Madero, sister of the slain President of Mexico, will bring to a happy climax a romance dating back to peaceful days in her native land when, on the afternoon of May 1, she is joined in marriage to Senor Antonio G. Canizal in the Church de la Esperanza at New York.

News of her forthcoming marriage was confirmed by Senorita Madero herself yesterday. But not members of the Canizal family who are in New York will attend the ceremony, which will follow after Canizal and his bride will depart for an extended honeymoon in Europe.

Senor Canizal, who is wealthy, was a member of the Mexican congress from Lower California when Madero was president. He is a member of an old Mexican family, his grandfather having been president of Mexico three times before the rise of Porfirio Diaz. At present he is living in exile.

Show Girl Arrested

NEW YORK, April 29.—Mrs. Laura Hill, first prize winner last November at a \$1000 beauty contest conducted by the Shuberts, and said to be the most beautiful show girl on the American stage, was arrested in St. Louis, charged with the theft of a \$500 diamond ring from W. A. Purnell, traveling salesman from Fifth avenue firm.

Purnell, who travels most of the year in Texas, where his wife and four children are now, followed the dashingly show girl to St. Louis and caught her arrested there, after she had refused to give him the ring. When taken to police headquarters Mrs. Hill told detectives that Purnell had lavished gifts upon her, among them being the \$500 ring. Purnell, she declared, was inordinately jealous. It was this jealousy, she said, that caused him to ask for her arrest.

PENNSYLVANIA TO TEST MOTHERS' PENSION PLAN

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 29.—Pennsylvania is to test the mothers' pension system, Governor Tener having approved the act today recently passed by the legislature providing for county systems of pensions for mothers, under the administration of a commission of from five to seven women to be named by the governor for each county availing itself of the provisions of the law. The combined maximum payment shall not exceed \$12 a month for one child, \$20 a month for two children, \$25 a month for three children, and \$3 a month for each additional child.

EDDY QUITS STOCKTON COMMERCE CHAMBER

STOCKTON, April 29.—J. M. Eddy, for seven years secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, tendered his resignation to the board of directors yesterday, to become effective July 1. Eddy's action was not unexpected. It followed a long executive session of the board and is said to have resulted from a desire of two opposing factions in the organization for harmony.

The secretary's friends declare that he relinquished the office to prevent disruption, more or less bitter since the resignation of the directors would discuss the bond issue under which nearly \$2,000,000 was spent in San Joaquin county on highways.

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE ON CHANGE OF NAME

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the application of the Alameda County Improvement Company to change its name to Alameda County Realty Co., No. 2973, Sept. 3.

Order to show cause on change of name.

The Alameda County Improvement Company having filed in this Court a verified petition praying for a change of the present name of said corporation.

The name proposed and which the said corporation wishes to adopt is the Alameda County Realty Co.

It is further ordered that this Court, the 26th day of May, 1913, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and that the Court room of said Court, Department No. 3 thereof, be and the same are hereby fixed as the time and place for hearing said petition, and all persons interested in said matter are summoned to the Court at that time to show cause if any there is why the application for change of name should be granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of this Order to Show Cause be published for six consecutive weeks, according to law, in the "Oakland Tribune," a newspaper of general circulation published in this county.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1913.

W. M. S. WELLS,

Judge of the Superior Court.

JOHN W. GUILTY, Attorney for Petitioners, Security Bank Bldg., Oakland, California.

MARRIAGE, BIRTH AND DEATH NOTICES

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses have been issued.

BAKTER-DO BOE—George L. Baker, 27, Sacramento, and Pauline E. Boe, 25, Berkeley.

BELL—John L. Bell, 29, and Anna M. Bell, 26, of Oakland.

BROWN—John W. Brown, 25, and Anna M. Brown, 23, of Berkeley.

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MINISTERS' UNION MAY JOIN LABOR COUNCIL

STOCKTON, April 29—Members of the Ministerial Union of this city, which comprises the pastors of 19 churches, learned today the terms upon which they may become affiliated with the Central Labor Council and the American Federation of Labor. The secretary of the first named body appeared before the ministers at their meeting today and informed them that it would be necessary for them to secure a charter, obligating themselves to payment of dues and otherwise conform to the general laws applying to locals already in-

cluded in the general body. The Ministerial Union has taken the matter under advisement. It is stated that the only union of ministers affiliated with union labor on this coast is at San Jose.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK PERISHES IN FLAMES

LEXINGTON April 29—Fifteen American and English bred thoroughbred mares each with a foal by her side were burned to death in a fire which destroyed a barn at the Kingston Stock Farm, near here today. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin. The monetary loss is estimated at \$4,000.

SMALLEST LIVING BABY BORN; WEIGHT 7 OUNCES

MATTOON, Ill., April 29—A baby fully developed and weighing only seven and one-fourth ounces was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell. The child is said by physicians to be the smallest fully developed child that ever lived after birth.



FRUITVALE GIRL IS LATEST PORTOLA BEAUTY CONTESTANT



MISS MARTHA LORSCHACH, FRUITVALE GIRL, WHO HAS BEEN ENTERED IN PORTOLA BEAUTY CONTEST.—Photo by Hartsook

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CURRENCY REFORM MAY BE LAUNCHED

Bill May Be Ready Soon for Submission to Party Leaders.

WASHINGTON, April 29—President Wilson feels that prospects for currency legislation during the present session of congress depend not alone upon the approach with which the tariff bill is disposed of, but upon progress toward a common agreement as to what should constitute banking reform.

The President hopes that the informal discussion and preliminary investigating going on among currency reform advocates will lead to a general understanding before long, so that the bill itself may be launched and its success the approval of the currency leaders generally, an effort might be made to place its passage before the extra session adjourns. The President intimated, however, that until very definite progress had been made in drafting the bill there would be little effort to sound out sentiment in congress. The impression was gained, however, at the White House that a very definite measure would be completed before long and that it might be submitted to party leaders before the tariff bill had been acted upon finally.

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As the \$100 prize beauty contest of the Portola Festival Committee nears its end with a rush of photographs from every section of California, Oakland is forcing to the front. This contest, which closes Wednesday at noon, will decide the poster girl model for the big festival to be held October 22 to 25 next.

With the end of the contest close at hand, the headquarters of the Portola Festival Committee at 163 Kearney street, San Francisco, are deluged with an unprecedented rush of visitors. One of the most attractive, however, today was that of Miss Martha Lorschach of 1708 Fruitvale Avenue, Oakland.

CHINESE TO BE PROMINENT.

The Chinese have taken a prominent part in the preparations for the Portola

fest. Among the latest organizations who volunteered for duty in the big portola parade are two Chinese bands. The Young Arrow and the Young Chinese Military Bands. Each of these organizations has a half-time piece, and they will be training especially for the October fete. Other Chinese bands have shown their intention of volunteering and it is declared by leaders in the Oriental quarter, that there will be eight in line with a total of 350 musicians. It is probable that an additional band will be entered by the Chinese of Los Angeles.

In the Portola parade of 1908, the Chinese took a prominent part, not only with their bands, but with their floats and marchers. It is declared that this year the Chinese section will be even more splendid.

CIRCUS STIRS OLD AND YOUNG ALIKE

"Sold Out House" Testifies to Perennial Popularity of Amusement.

In all the pomp and glory of a circus brought up to modern expectation the Sells-Floto shows went into history yesterday as one of the most pleasant that ever visited Oakland, their general popularity being attested by the fact that every seat was taken in the main tent last night and hundreds were unable to gain admittance.

The press agent's frequent declaration that it was "all circus" was proven beyond a doubt. The Sells-Floto people have been drawn into offerings bordering on the theatrical. They advertise a circus, and they have one.

Of course, there were the horses Sells-Floto had always been famous for, a magnificent display of equine excellence and this year it seemed as if there were more beautiful ones than ever. It was a notable spectacle for the futurists, who believe that paradise is in chock full of automobiles.

SUFFRAGETTE PARADE.

But you should have seen Jerry Clayton and his suffragette parade mounted and afoot, and Jerry made a speech to the grandstand. "Vote for 'leken,'" he pleaded, "vote for chicken." If you don't vote for chicken, vote for feathers, if you don't vote for feathers, vote for a feather duster, but, whatever you do, vote for us girls. Just then another clown set off one of the big, juicy Fourth of July firecrackers under the chair Jerry was standing on, and the rest of the speech was lost to history.

Every conceivable number that could have gone to make up a real circus program was listed. There were red girls with three separate and distinct colorful hats. There was Margaret Recardo, in a den of lions and tigers who obeyed her every command, and the matchless Linda Zorn, with her big herd of elephants giving the most spectacular act ever seen under a "big top."

DEVELIN ZOUAVES.

The royal horses were good and the Develin Zouaves evoked much applause, as did the riding of the Stickney Sisters and Miss Hobson. Then of course, there were the hippodrome races, the crackling horses, racing, galloping, galloping and a hundred other things. In a word, it was a glorious, bright, clever and entertaining one, that its owners should be proud of, and best of all, it fulfilled the promises of the chief of the bureau of publicity and promotion.

Manager Fred Hutchinson has extended an invitation to the children of the Fred Finch Orphanage and Girls' Club to attend in a body this evening. The circus will run from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m. and will play San Leandro on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

ROB'S CASH REGISTER.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29—While J. Malloy, a shop keeper of 2927 Clay street, was eating his breakfast in a roomette attached to the store this morning, a man entered. As soon as he observed the stranger, he ran out and down the stairs. At his approach the man ran and the discovery was immediately made that two rings and \$25 had been taken from the cash register.

STUDENTS HEAR POPULAR READER

C. E. W. Griffith Delivers Lecture on "Merchant of Venice."

With a dramatic reading of Shakespeare's play, "The Merchant of Venice," C. E. W. Griffith of the Chicago Shakespeare Club entertained the students of the College of Holy Names and the members of the faculty in the college hall yesterday afternoon. The institution Webber, most representatives of the various parochial schools and the Sisters were in attendance. Last evening he gave an interpretation of the famous tragedy, "Macbeth." At both sessions he received an enthusiastic welcome. The scholar read the "Midsummer Night's Dream" this afternoon and tonight he will give "King Lear."

The program for the week has been announced as follows:

Afternoon—"Twelfth Night," Wednesday, April 29; "Henry V., VI," Thursday, April 30; "The Plays of Shakespeare," Friday, May 2.

Evening—"Othello," Wednesday, April 10; "Hamlet," Thursday, May 1; "The Divine Comedy," Dante, Friday, May 2.

"CLEAN CITY" IS EDICT OF PROGRESSIVE TOWN

SAN JACINTO, April 29—A movement has been started in San Leandro to clean the streets of the town from weeds and grass. Trustee M. J. Andrade who instituted the movement pointed out the neglected state of parking places in the front of residences in many parts of the town. City Marshal Joseph Pernita has been instructed to carry out the street improvement edict.

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MAYOR COMPLAINS OF OVERCROWDED CARS

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CHICAGO, April 29—The city's overcrowded street cars were charged with "an offense against decency, a danger to health and an affront to the intelligence of good citizenship," by Mayor Elbridge D. Clegg in his annual message to the council last night.

"The indictment," he said, "lies against both surface and elevated lines. The almost staggering total of the city's share of the receipts of the surface lines for 1912—\$2,529,028—considered in connection with the conditions which thousands of patrons are daily forced to endure, affords convincing proof that health, comfort and even decency itself are sacrificed to the insatiable rapacity of the railroads."

"There should be some recognition of the rights of the public, there should be a little common sense, a touch of generosity and a bit of feeling, if you will, on the part of the corporation managers."

The mayor discussed the several remedies for the traction problem, but made no recommendation.

DROWNS SONS BECAUSE NO ONE LOVED THEM

LOGANSPORE, Ind., April 29—Mrs. Neilia Paugh, 55, years old, drowned her two sons—Donald, 12, and Delbert, 6—from a bridge into Deer Creek and jumped into the stream. The younger son and younger boy were drowned, but Donald swam ashore before throwing the boys off the bridge. The mother told them she was doing so because no one loved them.

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